

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

In re:)	
)	
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA,)	Case No. 11-05736-TBB-9
a political subdivision of the State of)	
Alabama,)	Chapter 9 Proceeding
)	
Debtor.)	

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO SET EXPEDITED HEARINGS
ON FIRST DAY MOTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 9006
OF THE FEDERAL RULES OF BANKRUPTCY PROCEDURE**

THIS MATTER came before the Court on the Motion to Set Expedited Hearings on First Day Motions Pursuant to Rule 9006 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the “Motion”) filed by Jefferson County, Alabama, the debtor in the above-referenced case (the “County”).¹ Based on the pleadings of record, all other matters brought before the Court, and for good cause shown, the Court finds, determines and concludes that notice of the relief requested in the Motion was good and sufficient under the particular circumstances; the relief sought in the Motion is in the best interests of the County, its creditors, and all parties in interest; the legal and factual grounds set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and the Motion is due to be **GRANTED**.

WHEREFORE, based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, it is hereby

ORDERED ADJUDGED and DECREED that the Expedited Hearing Motion is **GRANTED**; and it is further

¹ Capitalized terms not defined in this Order have the meanings set forth in the Motion.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the Form of Notice Motion, the List of Creditors Motion, and the Case Management Motion are hereby set for hearing in Courtroom 1, Fourth Floor, United States Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of Alabama, Southern Division, 505 20th Street North, Birmingham, AL 35203 on November 10, 2011 at 10:00 a.m., and that the notice periods for the hearings on the foregoing motions are reduced accordingly; and it is further

ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that counsel for the County shall provide notice of such hearings by serving a copy of this Order on those parties identified on the Master Service List; and it is further

ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that this Order is without prejudice to the rights of the County pursuant to Section 904 of the Bankruptcy Code, and nothing herein is intended as or shall be deemed to constitute the County's consent pursuant to Section 904 of the Bankruptcy Code to this Court's interference with (1) any of the political or governmental powers of the County, (2) any of the property or revenues of the County, or (3) the County's use or enjoyment of any income-producing property.

DONE AND ORDERED this the 9th day of November, 2011.

/s/ Thomas B. Bennett
THOMAS B. BENNETT
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE